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ADMINISTERING MICRO-
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ANIMAL FEED RATIONS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Applicant submits this Amendment and Response to address the Office Action having a mailing date of August 9, 2005. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$200.00 as the fee for the additional independent claim presented herein. Please credit any overpayment or charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

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